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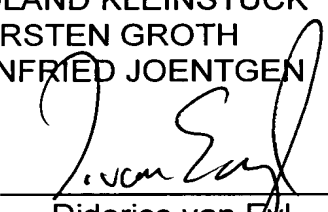
Entry of this Preliminary Amendment is requested. The amendments made above were made to place the Application in conformance with U.S. practice. No new matter was added. Claims 6-7 were cancelled. Claims 8-13 were added. Support for Claims 8-9 can be found on page 9, lines 25-27 of the specification and the examples. Support for Claim 10 can be found at page 3, lines 26-30. Support for Claim 11 can be found at page 4, lines 1-10. Support for Claim 12 can be found at page 4, lines 10-26. Support for Claim 13 can be found at page 6, line 26 to page 7, line 2.

In view of the amendments above, entry of this Preliminary Amendment is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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MEDIA FOR WATER TREATMENT
ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

The present invention relates to compositions for water treatment based on biodegradable polymers containing repeating succinyl units, biocidal oxidizing agents and unsubstituted or substituted amidosulphonic acid, their use in, and the process for, conditioning water of cooling circuits.

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